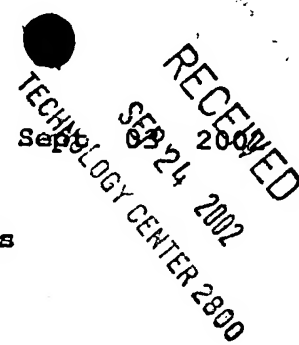




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RESPONSE TO PATENT OFFICE ACTION

Dear Sir or Madam:

The Commissioner is hereby authorized to charge payment of any additional fees involved with added Claims and the like to Deposit Account No. 19-0033.

In response to Office Action dated June 14, 2002, please amend the claims and the specification, and please consider the following remarks.

CERTIFICATE OF MAILING

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